

## Message Text

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R 241431Z FEB 77

FM AMEMBASSY HELSINKI  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1031  
INFO AMEMBASSY LUXEMBOURG  
AMEMBASSY MOSCOW  
AMEMBASSY REYKJAVIK  
AMEMBASSY STOCKHOLM  
AMCONSUL LENINGRAD  
AMEMBASSY COPENHAGEN  
AMEMBASSY OSLO

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EO 11652: N/A  
TAGS: SCUL  
SUBJECT: STRADIVARI STRING QUARTET

REF: STATE 033654

1. HELSINKI INTERESTED IN STRADIVARI STRING QUARTET FOR TWO CONCERTS OUTSIDE HELSINKI AND TWO IN HELSINKI. EMB. WOULD TRY TO PROGRAM OUT OF TOWN APPEARANCES WITH IMPRESARIO, FAILING THIS WOULD PROGRAM OURSELVES FOR INVITED GOVERNMENT, POLITICAL, AND UNIVERSITY LEADERS.

2. ONE OF HELSINKI CONCERTS WOULD BE SHORT PROGRAM IN CONJUNCTION WITH CEREMONY HONORING 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF ASLA/FULBRIGHT PROGRAM. THIS WOULD BE VERY HIGH LEVEL SESSION AT UNIVERSITY OF HELSINKI AT WHICH A FINNISH MINISTER AND HOPEFULLY SECRETARY OF LABOR MARSHALL WOULD SPEAK.

3. FOR ABOVE THREE CONCERTS QUARTET WOULD BE OFFERED  
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STANDARD \$700 FEE. IN ADDITION, WE WOULD ASK QUARTET TO OFFER CONCERT AT RESIDENCE OF AMBASSADOR FOR INVITED GUESTS. SINCE THIS WOULD BE SHORT CONCERT, AS WELL AS 25TH ANNIVERSARY APPEARANCE, HOPE QUARTET COULD PERFORM AT FOUR APPEARANCES FOR \$2,100 IN FEES.

4. OUR FIRST PREFERENCE FOR TIME PERIOD IS NOV 10 TO 16,

THUS ENABLING QUARTET TO DEPART HELSINKI FOR LUXEMBOURG  
CONCERT ON 17TH. OUR SECOND PREFERENCE IS PERIOD NOV 8-12.

5. KINDLY ADVISE SOONEST WHICH PERIOD FEASIBLE SINCE WE  
NEED COORDINATE DATES WITH UNIVERSITY, MINISTRY OF EDUCATION  
AND MINISTRY FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS.  
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